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For: LOAD PORT OF A SEMICONDUCTOR MANUFACTURING
APPARATUS HAVING INTEGRATED KINEMATIC COUPLING PINS
AND SENSORS, AND METHOD OF LOADING WAFERS USING THE
SAME

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Preliminary to the examination of the above-identified application, please enter
the following amendments and consider the following remarks:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins
on page 4 of this paper.

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